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TO AMEMBASSY LUSAKA IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EFIN

SUBJ: TAW

REF: STATE 027376

1. ALLEN DYNNER, TAW'S COUNSEL, HAS ADVISED OPIC THAT GRZ PRESENTED A LETTER TO TAW IN LUSAKA NOTIFYING TAW THAT ITS LEASE WAS CANCELLED. DYNNER SAID THAT WOOD CONVEYED THIS INFORMATION TO HIM VIA TELEPHONE FROM NAIROBI, AND THAT WOOD HAD PICKED UP THE LETTER IN LUSAKA EARLIER THEN TRAVELED TO NAIROBI. TAW BELIEVES THAT THIS MATTER CAN BE CLARIFIED ONLY WHEN PRESIDENT KAUNDA RETURNS TO ZAMBIA. IT IS IMPORTANT THAT NEWS OF TERMINATION LETTER BE HELD CLOSELY IN HOPE PROBLEM CAN BE CLEARED UP. NOT ALL PIECES OF FINANCING ARE COMPLETED AS CITED IN REF, AND IT IS IMPORTANT THAT ALL PARTICIPANTS BE KEPT ON BOARD.

2. OPIC AND DEPARTMENT WOULD GREATLY APPRECIATE RECEIVING ASAP ANY INFORMATION EMBASSY MAY HAVE ON LEASE TERMINATION.
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AT PRESENT ALL LENDERS ARE IN THE DARK. IN ADDITION, PLEASE PROVIDE ANY RECOMMENDATION REGARDING POSSIBLE ACTIONS SUPPORTIVE OF TAW THAT MIGHT USEFULLY AND APPROPRIATELY BE UNDERTAKEN BY EMBASSY IN LUSAKA, OR DEPARTMENT AND/OR

OPIC HERE. PENDING BETTER APPRECIATION OF SITUATION, DEPARTMENT REQUESTS THAT EMBASSY NOT REPEAT NOT UNDERTAKE ANY APPROACH TO GRZ. IN VIEW OF SENSITIVITY OF THIS MATTER, EMBASSY SHOULD USE UTMOST DISCRETION IN ATTEMPTING TO ASCERTAIN FACTS. END CASEY

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